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Chapter 38

My Queen



HANA-
BUSU-
SAN!

TOKAKU-
SAN HAS
NOTHING
TO DO
WITH THIS!
PLEASE,
LEAVE HER
ALONE!!



I HAVE
EVERY-
THING
TO DO
WITH THIS!!

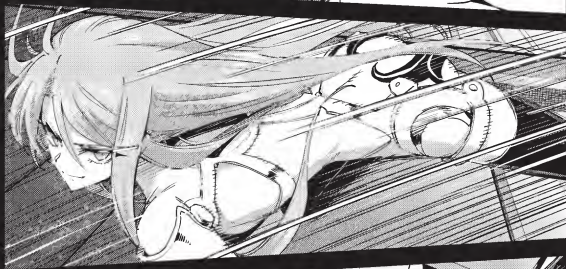
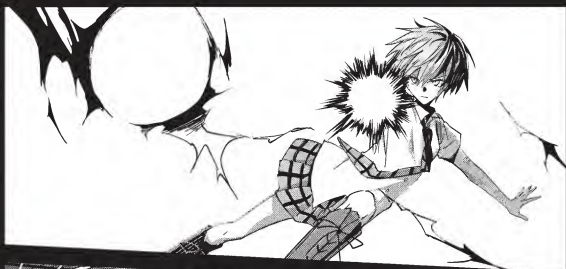


OH! SHE
STATES SO
HERSELF!
THERE-
FORE...



THIS...
THIS
IS MY
FIGHT,
TOO!





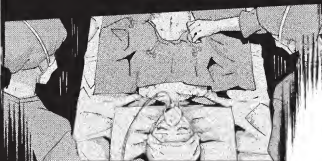
I CAN
FIGHT
ON MY
OWN,
YOU
KNOW.



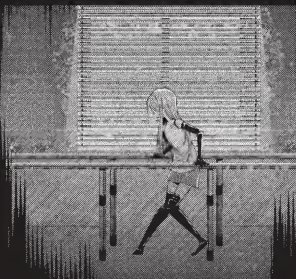


I
BORE
THE
HUMILI-
ATIONS.

FOR
I AM
THE
QUEEN!



I
OVER-
CAME
THE
CRISES.





ICHINOSE
IS MY
ONE TRUE
QUEEN!



I SHALL
BECOME
QUEEN
ON MY
OWN!

SIMPLY
BEING
BORN
INTO THE
POSITION;
THAT
MEANS
NAUGHT.

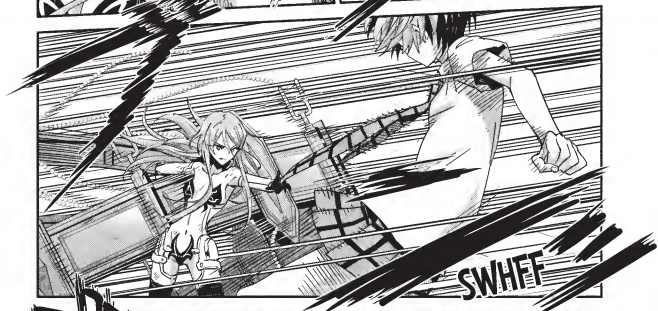


STOP,
TOKAKU-
SAN!!

STOP
...





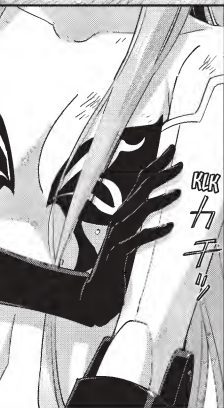




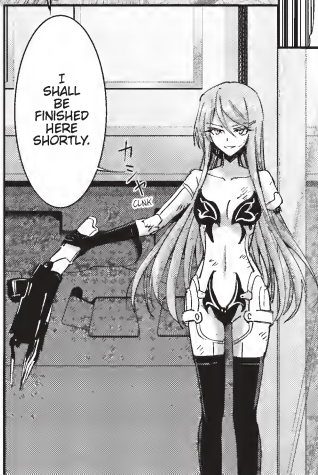
PLEASE
WAIT A
MOMENT,
ICHINOSE-
SAN.

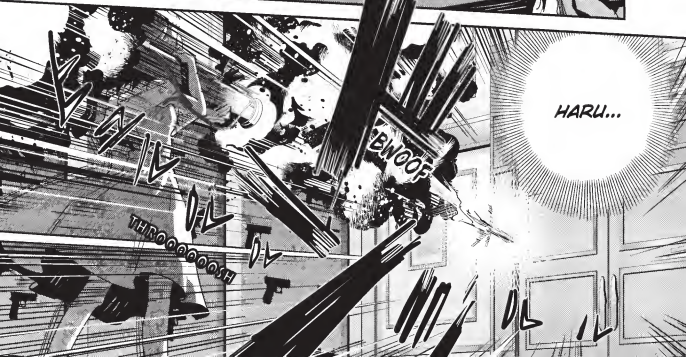
TO-
KAKU-
SAN!!

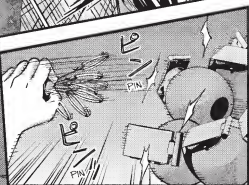
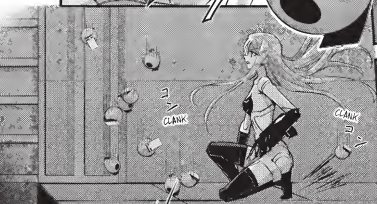
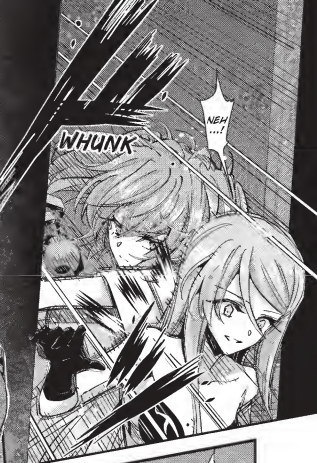
TO...

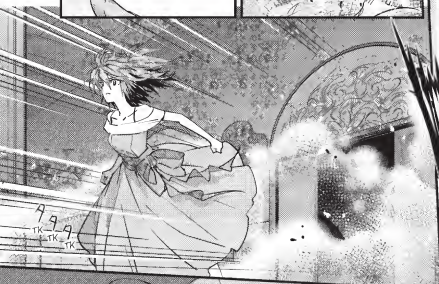


I
SHALL
BE
FINISHED
HERE
SHORTLY.









YOU HAVE
SURPRISED
ME,
ICHINOSE-
SAN!!





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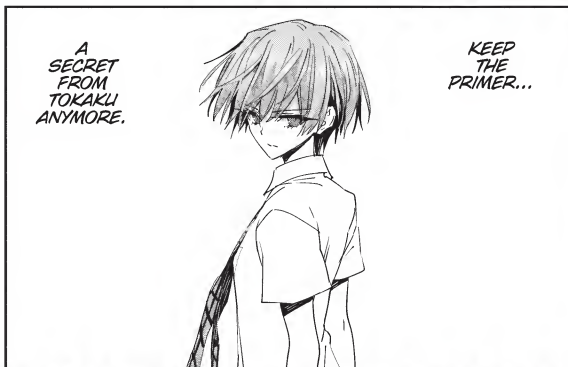
Even If I Am the Only One Left



WHAT
SHOULD
HARU DO?
HARU
CAN'T...



"WORKER
BEE!"



A
SECRET
FROM
TOKAKU
ANYMORE.

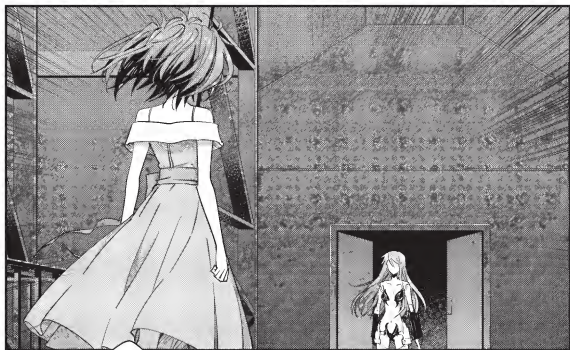
KEEP
THE
PRIMER...



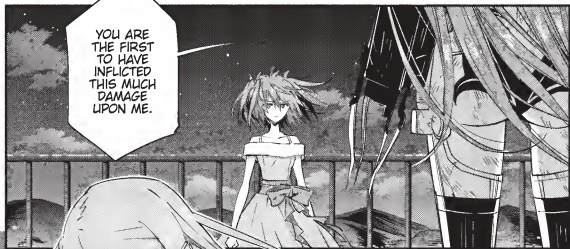
NO!!
RIGHT
NOW...

NOT THE
TIME TO
THINK
ABOUT
THAT!

IS
STILL...



YOU ARE
THE FIRST
TO HAVE
INFLECTED
THIS MUCH
DAMAGE
UPON ME.



HOWEVER,
THIS IS
NOW THE
END!!





HANA-
BUSA-
SAN!

PLEASE,
LET
HARU
WIN!

NEVER!



WUUF

GASHAAN

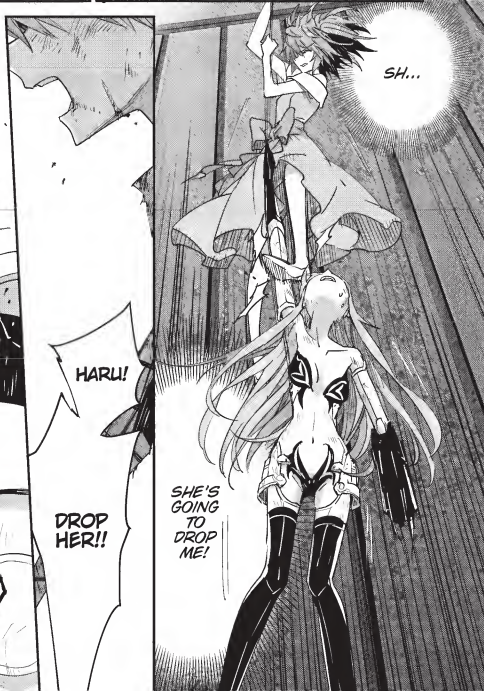


SORRY!!

HARU
...

WON'T
SAY...

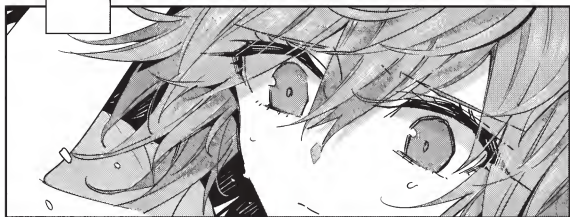




SHE'S
GOING
TO
DROP
ME!

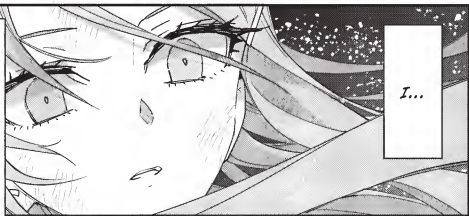


IT IS
TRUE.

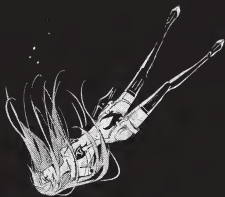


DO NOT
WANT
YOU TO
APOLOGIZE
TO ME.

I...

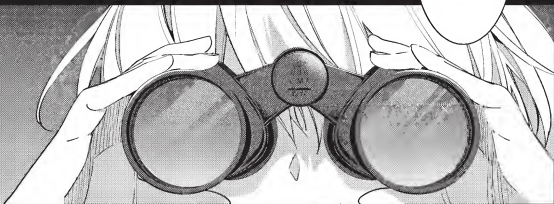


AFTER ALL,
I SHALL NOT
APOLOGIZE
TO YOU
EITHER!!





HEYYY,
NICE
WORK!!



TOO
FREAKY!

MISS
SUMIREKO
REALLY
'BORGED
HERSELF
UP, DIDN'T
SHE?

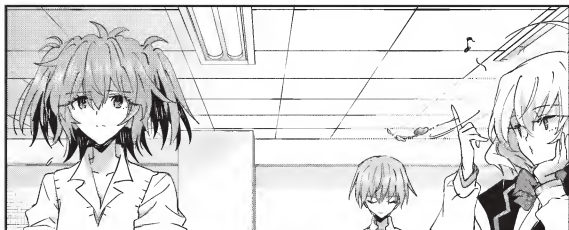
AH, UP,
HA
HA
HA!



AND
THEN...

CLASS
BLACK
HAD ONLY
THREE.







SO, I'M
GOING TO
CONTINUE
WITH OUR
STUDIES.

I WILL
TEACH AS
LONG AS
I HAVE
STUDENTS,
BECAUSE
THAT'S WHAT
A TEACHER
SHOULD DO.



SO, WHY
DON'T WE
TRY TO
MAKE IT SO
EVERYONE
HERE
GRADUATES!

I WAS TOLD
THAT CLASS
BLACK WAS A
SPECIAL CLASS
OF FRESHMEN
THAT AREN'T
GOING TO
GO TO THEIR
SOPHOMORE
YEAR, BUT
GRADUATING
INSTEAD.



BUT YOU
KNOW...
IT'S THOSE
TIMES WHEN
YOU FEEL
COMPLETELY
HELPLESS...

THAT
YOU
SHOULD
PUSH
YOURSELF
THE
HARDEST.
AT LEAST,
THAT'S
WHAT I
THINK.



HARU
WILL
GRADUATE.

THAT'S
RIGHT,
SENSEI.

TODAY,
WE WILL
LEARN
ABOUT
THE
ECOLOGY
OF
INSECTS.

THERE
ARE SOME
INSECTS
WITH A
HIGHLY
DEVELOP-
ED SOCIAL
NETWORK
AND--

PROBABLY
WON'T
COME
TRUE.

THE FLUFFY
DREAM...
HARU HAD
WHEN.
HARU FIRST
SAT DOWN
HERE...



EVEN IF
HARU
IS THE
ONLY ONE
LEFT...



"IT'D BE
NICE IF WE
COULD ALL
GRADUATE
TOGETHER."



HARU
WILL
GRADUATE.

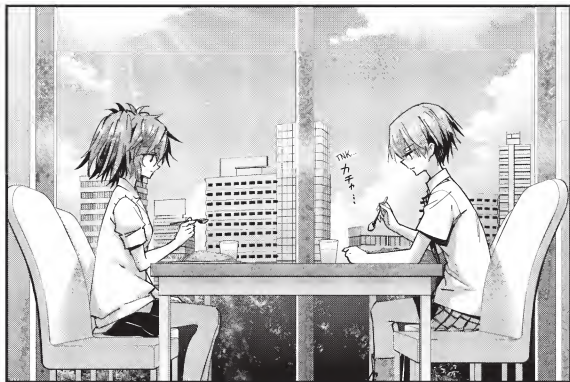




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A Day Without Assassins



THE
ORIENTATION
TONIGHT'S
PROBABLY
GOING TO
BE ABOUT
THE END.
THERE'S
ONLY
THREE
PEOPLE
LEFT IN
CLASS
BLACK.



THIS
MIGHT BE
THE LAST
CURRY
I EAT
HERE.

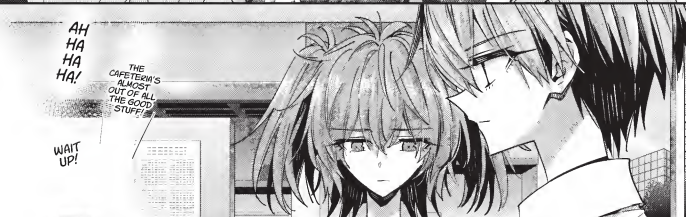


HARU
LIKES
IT, TOO,
BUT--

TOKAKU-
SAN, YOU
REALLY
LIKE
CURRY,
DON'T
YOU?

HA
HA!







GET
LOST.

I'M
DONE
WITH
YOU.



I'M
GOING
TO GO
ON
AHEAD.

TIME
TO
PACK.

THANK
YOU



MY
BAD!

AH
HA
HA!

TO-
KAKU-
SAN...



WHAAAAT?
THERE'S
NO NEED
TO RUSH
OFF!



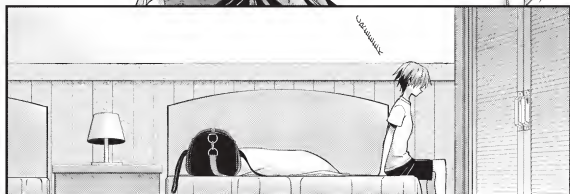
BLOOD
RELA-
TIVE?

MORE
LIKE
STRANGER
...



SHE
DOESN'T
HAVE TO GET
ALL **SERIOUS**.
I MEAN,
YOU GUYS
WON. THE
CHAIRMAN
WILL
PROBABLY
TAKE
CARE OF
THE REST.

AFTER
ALL,
YOU'RE
A BLOOD
RELATIVE,
HARU.





SENSEI'S
IN THE
MIDDLE OF
CLASS.

YO!
UNWORTHY
STUDENT.



Just
you
and the
target?

YEAH.
NO
ONE'S
LEFT.

Did
you
get
them
all?

Whaaat
?!

I
KNOW.

I'M
GRADU-
ATING.



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Chapter 41

You Are Special

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KA-
CHAK



WEL-
COME!

TO
THE
NEW
ORIENTA-
TION!





Nice
to meet
you,
Azuma-
san and
Ichinose-
san.

I am
Yuri.

WE HAVE A
GREETING FROM
THE SPONSOR
OF CLASS:
BLACK AND THE
CHAIRMAN OF
OUR SCHOOL,
YURI MEICHI.



ENOUGH
CHIT-
CHAT.

YOU'RE
SUPPOSED
TO
EXPLAIN,
RIGHT?

WHY ARE
WE HERE
AND FOR
WHAT?

WHO
ARE
YOU?

Please
allow
me to
commend
you
on your
progress.
Congratulations
on making
it this
far.



It was
to see if
Haru
could live
through it.

It is
just as
you
suspect,
Tokaku-
san.

Are you
familiar
with the
term
"initiation"?

A
challenge
for those
who have
reached a
certain age;
upon passing
such, they
are acknowl-
edged as a
member of
society.

It was
Ichinose
Haru's
initiation.

Class
Black did
not exist
to kill
Haru.

In our
"family," all
females must
undergo such
at the age
of fifteen.



It was to
determine
whether
Haru was
worthy
of being
entrusted
with the
future of the
"family."



We are
everywhere
in the world
and move the
entirety of
the world.

From one
member,
we have
divided and
are made
up of the
succession
of countless
families...



We are
involved
in myriad
human
activities
and hold the
capital and
power
behind them.

Politics.

Economics.

Military.

Education.

Arts.

Culture.

And
that which
stands atop
all those
masses,
is the
Queen
Bee.



She is one
with charisma,
who appears
rarely among
only the
females of
the family.

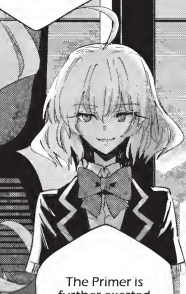




The power is strong in Haru.

Can consciously, and at times sub-consciously, attract, take over, and control people.

They, the Queen Bees...



The Primer is further exerted and refined when the Queen Bee is threatened or in danger.



She has overcome the trial of Class Black. She suits the role of Queen Bee.



That's why from the day they come into this world, the lives of the females of the "family" are constantly under attack.



A
QUEEN
BEE...

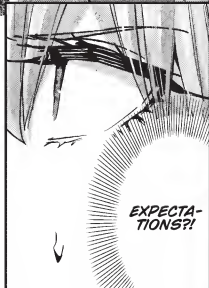
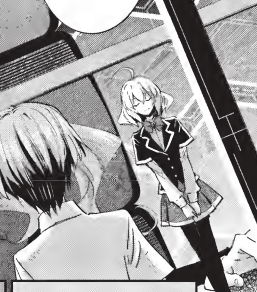
THAT
CONTROLS
PEOPLE?!

Of our expectations. ... Was within the scope ...

That is why the fact that you have, of your own accord, decided to become Haru's protector

It does not appear that she was doing so *consciously*, however...

Yes.



EXPECTATIONS?!



But
it is.

If it
weren't
so, then
however
could you
overcome
twelve
assassins?

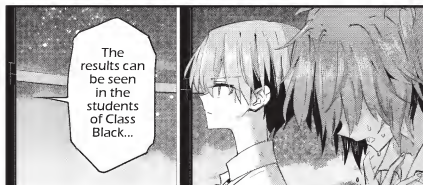
HARU
JUST
THOUGHT
THAT IF
HARU
PASSED
THIS TRIAL,
THEN IT
WOULD
ALL BE
OVER!

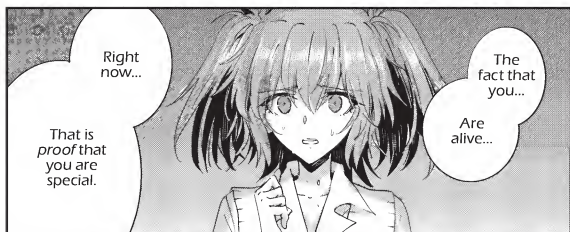
YOU'RE
WRONG!

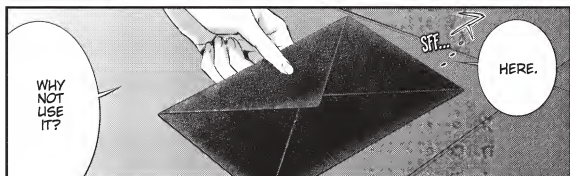
HARU...
DOESN'T
HAVE
THAT
POWER!!

HARU
WOULD
BE ABLE
TO LIVE A
NORMAL
LIFE!

CONTROL?!
TAKE
OVER?!
THAT'S
IMPOS-
SIBLE!!



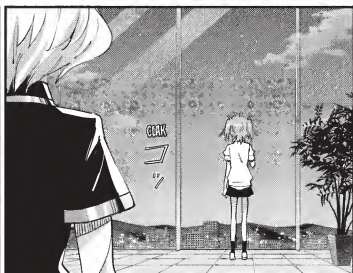
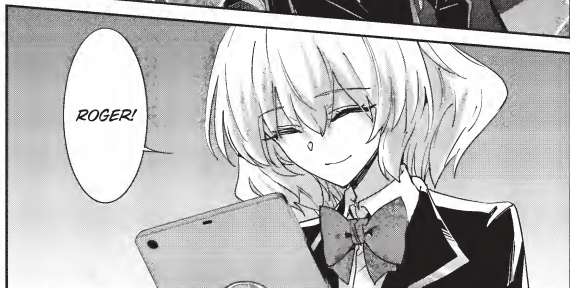
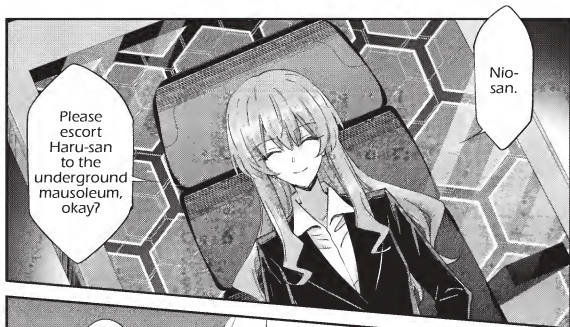




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My Nio





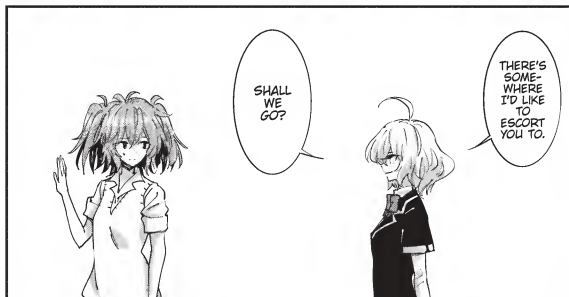


RIIIGHT,
ICHI-
NOSE
HARU?!



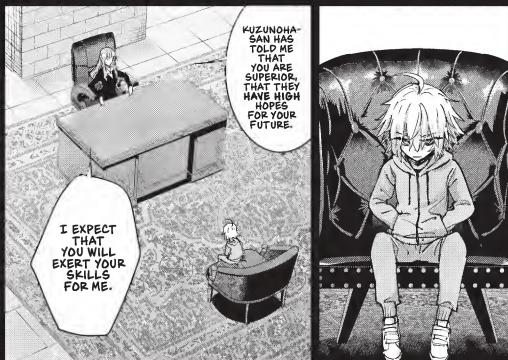
YOU
DON'T
HAVE A
CHOICE
BUT TO
MOVE
FORWARD...

YOU
DON'T
HAVE
ANY-
WHERE
TO GO
HOME TO,
RIIIGHT?



SHALL
WE
GO?

THERE'S
SOME-
WHERE
I'D LIKE
TO
ESCORT
YOU TO.





WHAT'RE
YA
DOIN'?!
THAT
HURT, YA
WITCH!!

CLUNK

WH
...

WHA
...?!

WHAP

DAH
!!

ST--!

THWAP

WHAP

OWW
!

WHAP

OUCH!

PLEASE
USE
BEAUTOUS
AND
RESPECT-
FUL
LANGUAGE.

I WILL
TEACH YOU
AS MANY
TIMES AS
YOU LIKE
UNTIL
YOU HAVE
LEARNED
THIS.

STOP
IT!

P
L
E
A
S
E
!!

STOP!

THAT IS
A VERY
SORROWFUL
THING.

YOU HAVE
NOT BEEN
EDUCATED
NOR
DISCIPLINED
BY ANYONE.



HOWEVER,
FROM
THIS DAY
FORWARD,
I SHALL
BE YOUR
TEACHER.

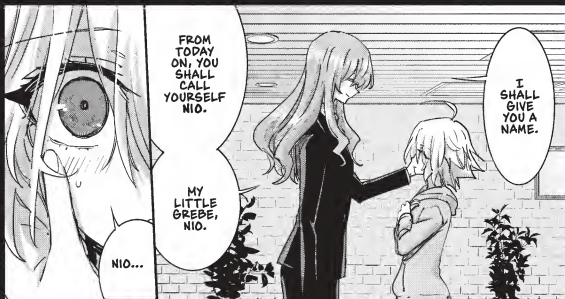


FROM
TODAY
ON, YOU
SHALL
CALL
YOURSELF
NIO.

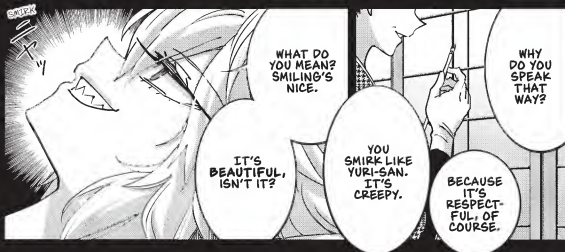
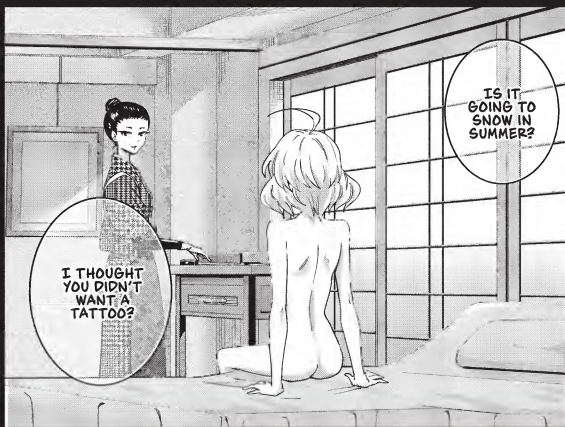
MY
LITTLE
GREBE,
NIO.

NIO...

I
SHALL
GIVE
YOU A
NAME.







I WANT
TO BE
USEFUL.

I SHALL
OPEN
CLASS
BLACK FOR
ICHINOSE
HARU'S
SAKE.

NIO-SAN,
I SHALL
HAVE YOU
PARTICIPATE
AS THE
ADJUDI-
CATOR.

OH!

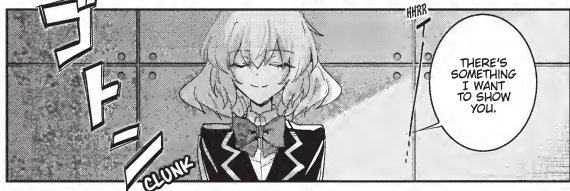
IS
AZUMA
COMING,
TOO?!

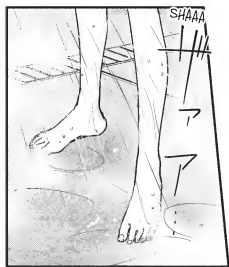
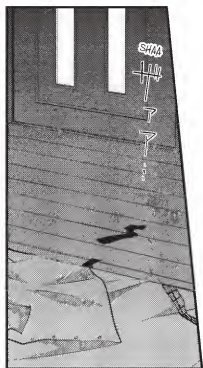
FOR THE
SAKE OF THE
LADY WHO
SMILES SO
BEAUTIFULLY.

I WANTED
TO GET
STRONGER...









AN
UNDERGROUND
MAUSOLEUM.

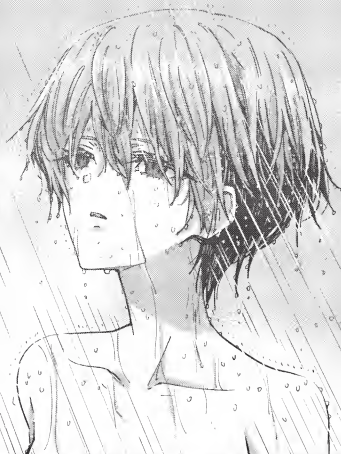


HERE IS
WHERE
THOSE
WHO HAVE
SACRIFICED
THEMSELVES
FOR THE
FAMILY...



REST
IN
PEACE.

SOMETHING
INSIDE ME
MOVED THE
MOMENT I
SAW HER...



SHAA



7

HER
SMELL.
HER
LAUGHING
FACE.



HER
EYES.
HER
HAIR.

WHAT'S PRIMER?
HARU SAID SHE
DIDN'T HAVE IT,
BUT I'M NOT
SURE WHAT TO
BELIEVE. WHAT
SHOULD I DO?
HOW DO I FIND
OUT THE TRUTH?

WAS I UNDER
CONTROL?
WAS WHAT WE
HAD SIMPLY
A MUTUALLY
BENEFICIAL
RELATIONSHIP?
WAS THAT ALL?

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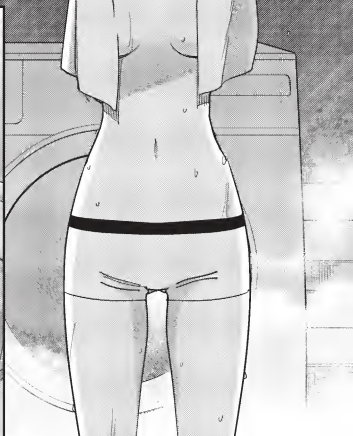
A Place of Prayers



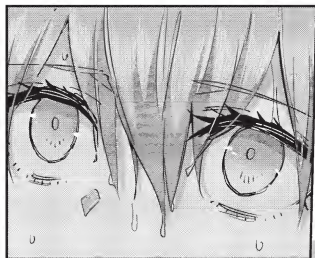
CREEAK...

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O
O

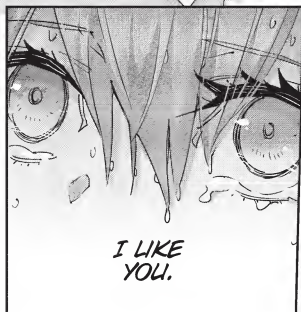
REALLY? NOT
AGAIN! THERE'S
NO HOPE
FOR YOU,
TOKAKU-SAAN!







HARU.



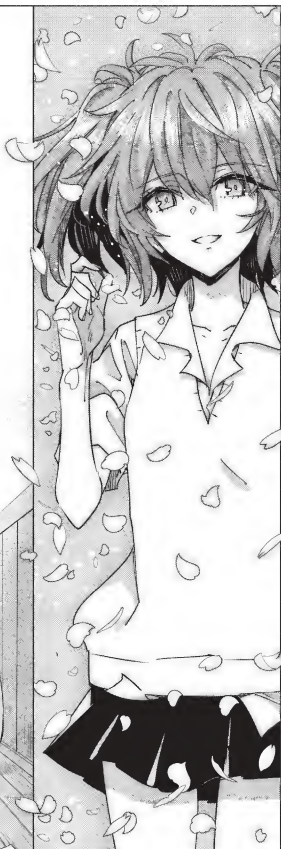
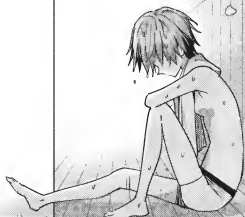
I LIKE
YOU.

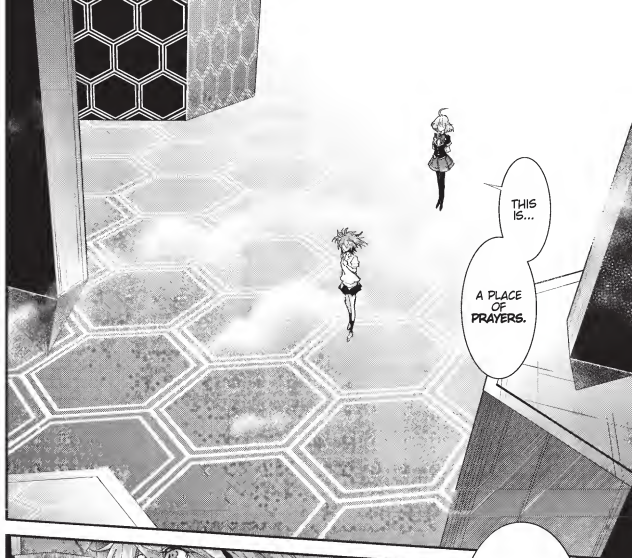
U
N
N
G
A
A
R
G
H!!



*I
LIKE
HARU.*

I...





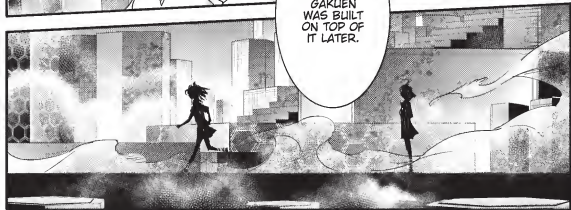
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IS...

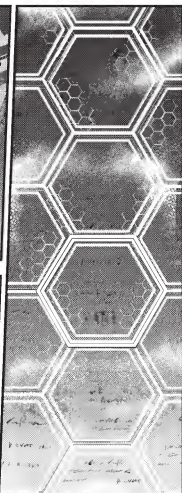
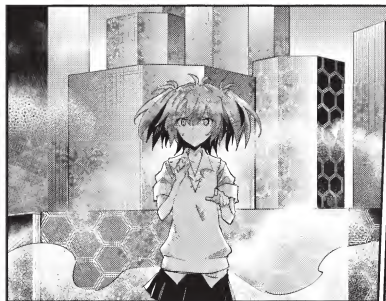
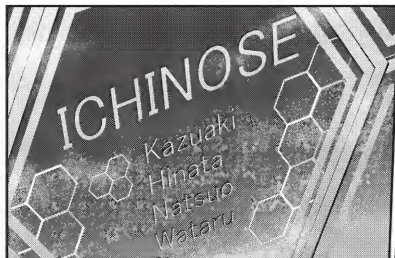
A PLACE
OF
PRAYERS.

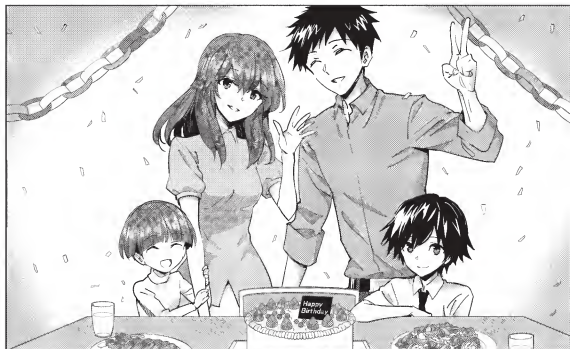


THIS WAS
ORIGINALLY
A PLACE TO
LAY PEOPLE
TO REST.

MYOJO
GAKUEN
WAS BUILT
ON TOP OF
IT LATER.







WE ARE
AWARE THAT
LIVES AREN'T
SOMETHING
TO BE TAKEN
LIGHTLY,
YOU KNOW.



BUT I WANT
YOU TO KNOW
THAT SOME
PEOPLE HAVE
BEEN SAVED
BY YOUR
FAMILY'S
POWER,
TOO.

HARU,
YOU MIGHT
RESENT
THE
CIRCUM-
STANCES
OF YOUR
BIRTH...



THERE
YOU GO
JOKING
AGAIIN.

MY QUEEN IS
YURI-SAMA
AND YURI-
SAMA ALONE.



REAL-
LY?

SINCE
YOU
KEEP
SAYING
SO...

THEN
DOES THE
PRIMER
WORK ON
YOU, TOO?



LIKE
ME.



THE
FAMILY...
HAS
NOTHING
TO DO
WITH
HARU.
AFTER
ALL,
HARU
DOESN'T
HAVE
THE
PRIMER.



ENOUGH,
ALREADY.
YOU
HAVE
IT!





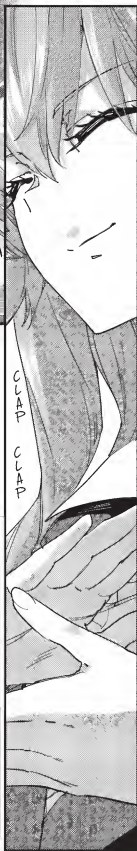
THAT'S
RIGHT,
HARU-
SAN.



YOU MUST
NOT LET
ANYONE
INTO YOUR
HEART.

CREAK

IT IS A
LONELY
THING
TO BE A
QUEEN.



CLAP
CLAP



IS YOU
YOURSELF.

IN THIS
WORLD, THE
ONLY ONE
WHO CAN
COMMAND
YOU...

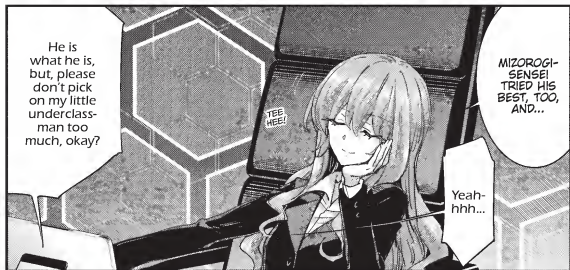


OH
DEAR.

It's not like
you to let
your guard
down at
this stage,
Yuri-san.

Hmm, getting
a bit
ahead
of
yourself,
don't you
think?

IT LOOKS
LIKE CLASS
BLACK WILL
SHOW ME
A LOVELY
FINALE,
THIS TIME.



He is
what he is,
but, please
don't pick
on my little
underclass-
man too
much, okay?

TEE
HEE!

MIZOROGI-
SENSEI
TRIED HIS
BEST, TOO,
AND...

Yeah-
hhh...



EVEN
THOUGH WE
ARE ALREADY
AT THE FINAL
CHAPTER OF
THE STORY?

You're
letting
your
guard
down.
Tokaku'll
do it, just
watch.

"So-so"?
See,
I told
you...

AZUMA
TOKAKU
WAS SO-
SO,
AS WELL.

**Love
changes
people.**

Just
watch...
you like
surprise
endings,
right?

TITTER
TITTER

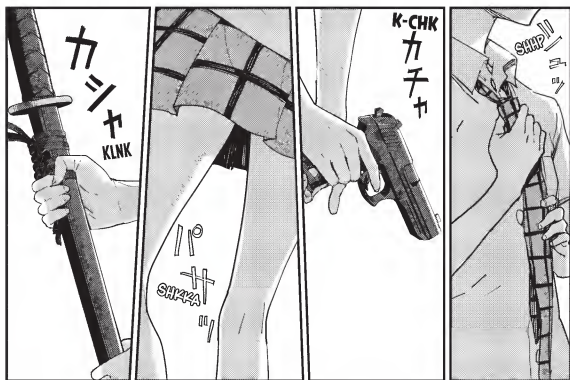
KAIBA-
KUN,
YOU'RE
SUCH A
CREEP.

WHAT
ARE YOU
TALKING
ABOUT?



"LOVE
CHANGES
PEOPLE."

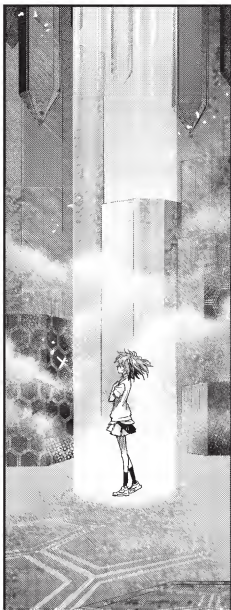
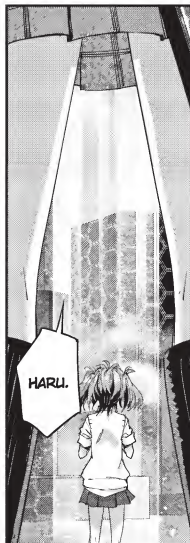


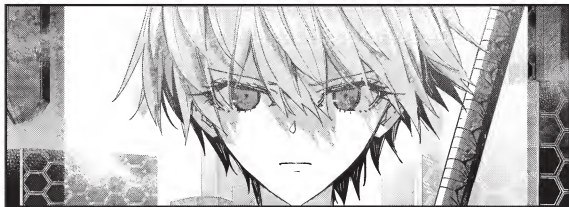


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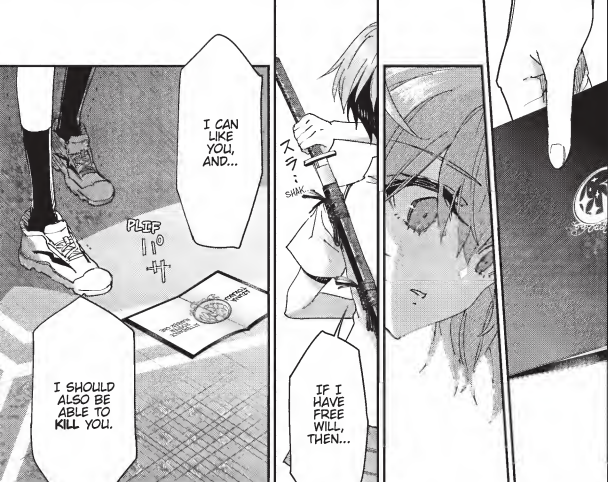
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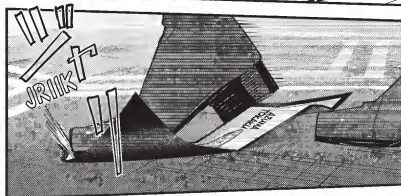
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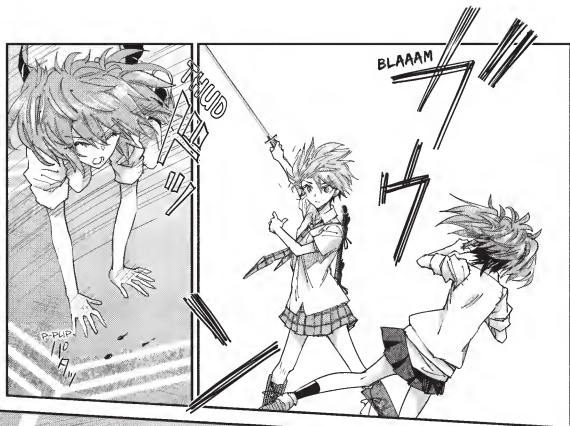


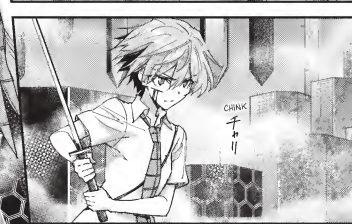
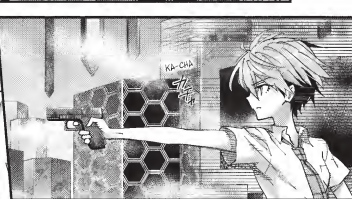


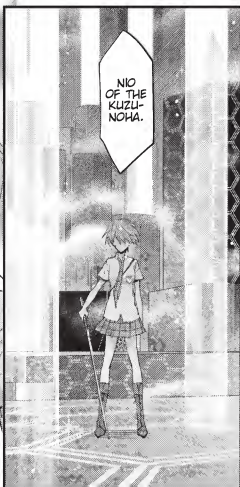
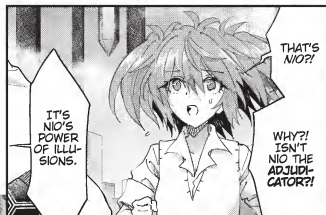


















LET
GO OF
HARU,
NIO!!

IT'S
NOT
ALL
RIGHT!

SHWFF



IT'S
OKAY
TO BE
FOOLED!



TP
A
BY

YOU'RE
THE
FAKE!
I'VE
FORGIVEN
HARU.



SHUT
UP,
NIO!

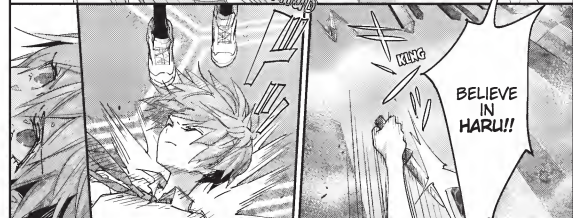
WRONG!

WRONG!
WRONG!!



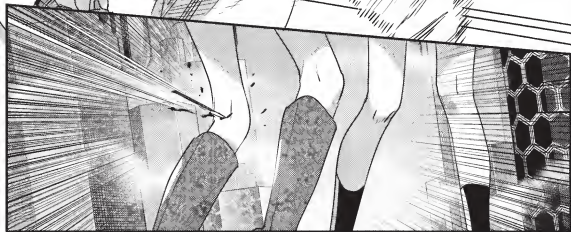
IT
IS...

NOT
!!





NO
MAT-
TER
...



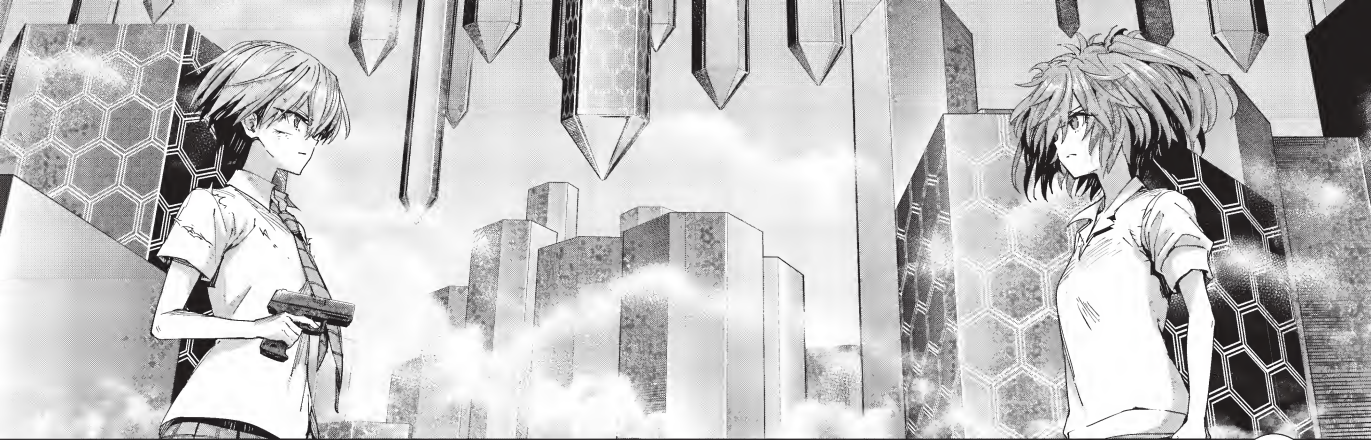




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Chapter 45

Kill Me if You Can





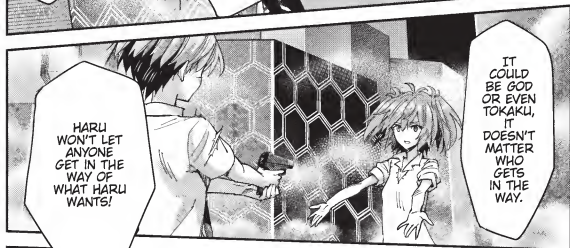
*THIS
IS THE
ONLY WAY
SHE CAN
CONVINCE
HERSELF.*

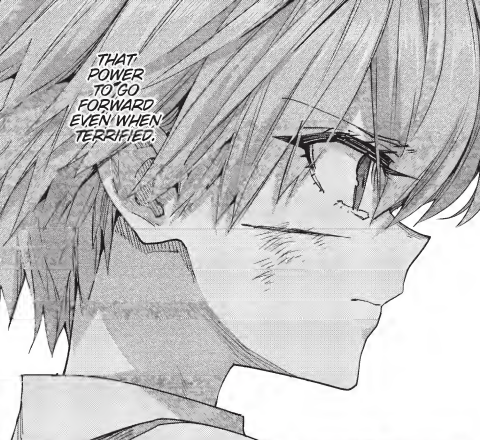
LET'S
TRY IT,
TOKAKU.

*THIS
IS THE
ONLY
THING
SHE CAN
DO.*



HARU
UNDER-
STANDS.





THAT
POWER
TO GO
FORWARD
EVEN WHEN
TERRIFIED.

YOU'RE
SO SCARED
AND SAD THAT
YOUR HANDS
AND FEET ARE
SHAKING, BUT
SOMEWHERE
IN YOUR BODY
YOU HAVE THE
COURAGE
TO KEEP
WALKING.



IS
THAT...

WHAT A
SOUL IS?



I THOUGHT
IT WAS
STRANGE,
THIS WHOLE
TIME.

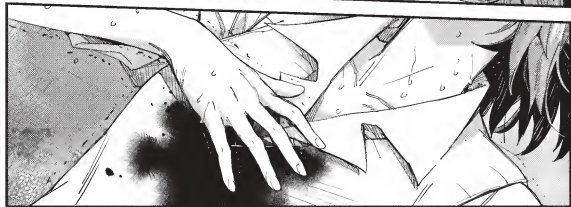
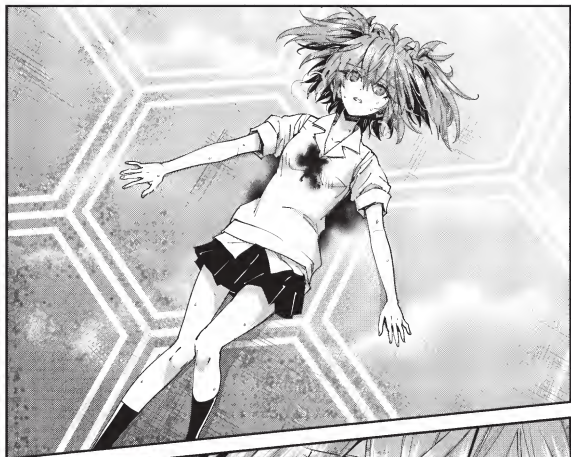
WHERE IN
THIS BODY,
SO DELICATE
THAT IT SEEMS
AS THOUGH IT
MIGHT BREAK
IF YOU HOLD
HER, IS THIS
STRENGTH
OF STEEL?



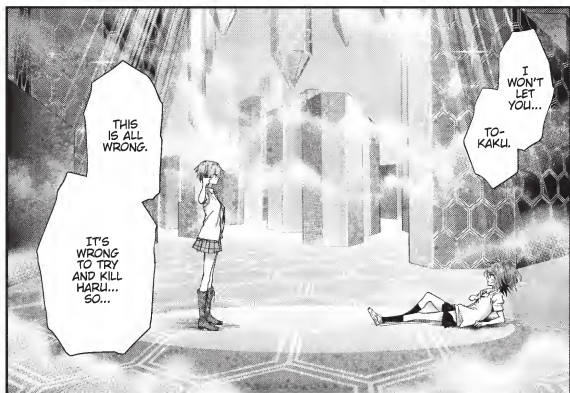
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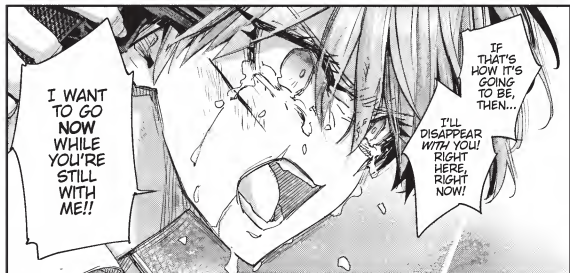
Chapter 46

Tears









RIGHT
NOW...

I WILL
MAKE
TOKAKU
MINE FOR
SURE.

PROTECT
ME.

WITH
THIS
HEART
AND
SOUL....

I DON'T
CARE IF
IT'S THE
PRIMER
OR NOT.

PROTECTOR.

WITH
THESE
WORDS
...

WITH
THIS
BODY...

YOU
ARE...

MY
KNIGHT.

I'M
GOING
TO USE
MY
POWER.

RIGHT
NOW...

TOKAKU.

I WON'T
LET HER
GO.

I WILL
CAPTURE
HER.

I WILL
SACRIFICE
EVERYTHING,
OR ELSE...

PRO-
TECT
ME...

AND ALL
I HOLD
DEAR.

WITH
ALL
THAT
IS ME...

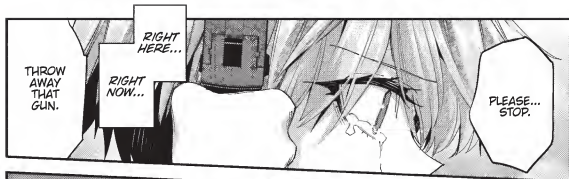
WITH
THIS
VOICE...

WITH
THESE
EYES...

MY
PRINCE.

I...

WILL USE
ALL THE
POWER
I HAVE.



**I WILL LOSE
TOKAKU
FOREVER!**



"DOESN'T
CRY."



"HARU..."

YOU'RE
GOING TO
PROTECT
ME...
AREN'T
YOU?!!



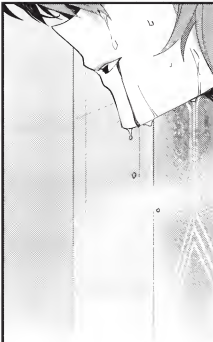
THERE'S
ONLY YOU,
TOKAKU.

I CAN'T
FIGHT
UNLESS
YOU'RE
HERE,
TOKAKU.

COME
WITH
ME!!

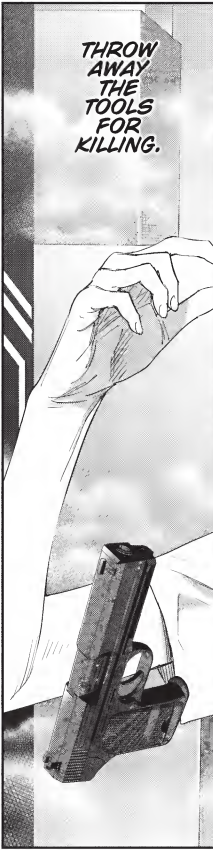


TOKAKU!



A close-up of a character's face, showing a tear falling from their eye. The character has dark hair and is looking downwards.

**YOU
WILL
BE
MINE.**



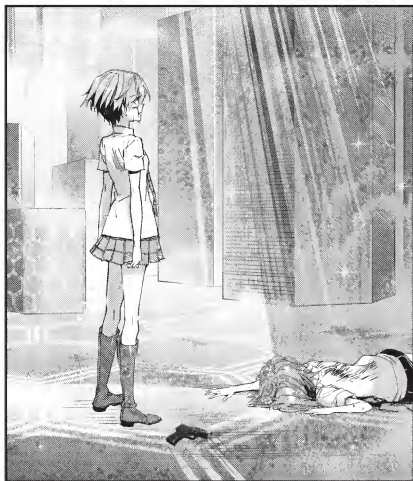
A hand holding a handgun, with the hand positioned over a person's shoulder. The background shows a cityscape with buildings and clouds.

**THROW
AWAY
THE
TOOLS
FOR
KILLING.**



A close-up of a character's face, showing a tear falling from their eye. The character has dark hair and is looking downwards.

**THROW
AWAY
THE
GUN.**





OF
ANYTHING
AFTER
THAT.

I HAVE
NO
MEMORIES...

THE TEARS
I PROMISED
MYSELF
I WOULD
NEVER SHED
WOULD NOT
EBB ONCE
THEY BEGAN
TO FLOW.

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The Final Chapter

To Each Their Own Answer





THANK
YOU
VERY
MUCH!

REALLY,
CONGRATU-
LATIONS
ON YOUR GRADUA-
TION!

IT'S
GRADU-
ATION.

EVERY-
ONE.

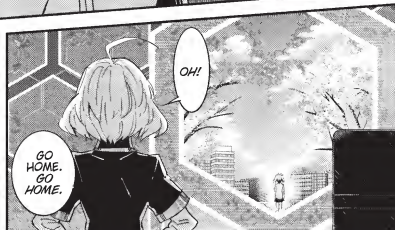
FAT-
HER.
MOT-
HER.

HARU HAS
SOME MORE
SCARS NOW,
BUT HARU
IS FINE.



BYE!

THANK
YOU.



OH!

GO
HOME.
GO
HOME.



SHE
LEFT,
DIDN'T
SHE?

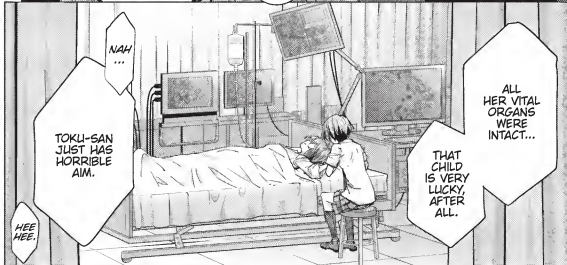


SHE'S
SERIOUSLY
TOUGH,
HUH?
HARU.



I AM
VERY
CONFIDENT
IN OUR
SCHOOL'S
MEDICAL
TECHNOLOGY.

HEE
HEE...



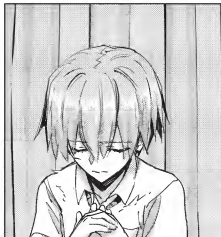
NAH
...

TOKU-SAN
JUST HAS
HORRIBLE
AIM.

HEE
HEE.

ALL
HER VITAL
ORGANS
WERE
INTACT...

THAT
CHILD
IS VERY
LUCKY,
AFTER
ALL.



"I SHALL
GRANT YOU
THE REWARD
YOU DESIRE.
TELL ME
WHAT IT IS."

"YOU
ARE THE
VICTOR.

"CONGRAT-
ULATIONS,
TOKAKU.



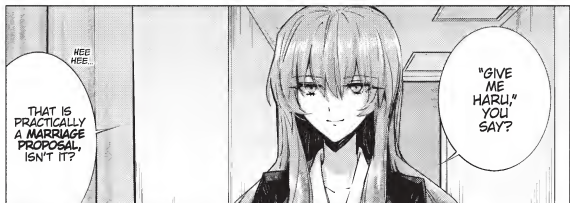
HMP?
WHAT
IS
THAT?

YOU
HAVE
TO
GIVE
ME
WHAT-
EVER
I
WANT,
RIGHT?



I
WANT
HARU!

GIVE
ME
HARU!



HEE
HEE.

THAT IS
PRACTICALLY
A MARRIAGE
PROPOSAL,
ISN'T IT?

"GIVE
ME
HARU,"
YOU
SAY?

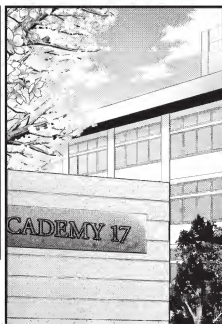
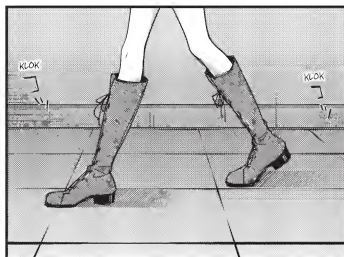
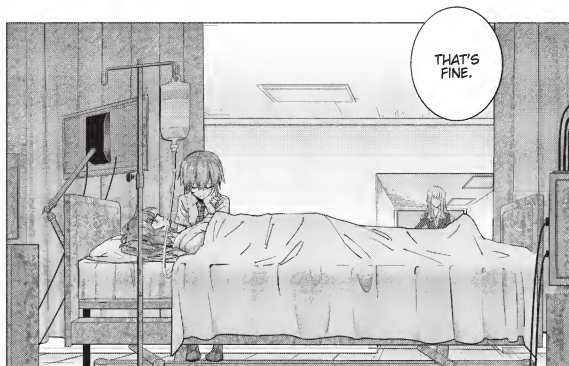


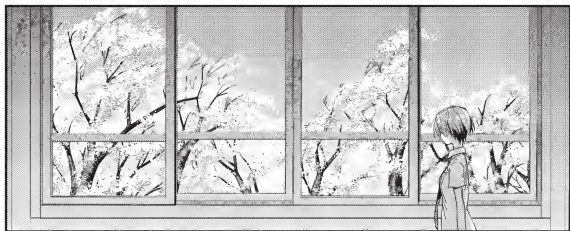
IF HARU
BECOMES
YOURS...

YOU WILL
ALSO
BECOME
HARU'S.

OF
COURSE,
THAT'S
FINE.

BUT,
YOU DO
UNDER-
STAND...





YOU
AWAKE?

YO,
TOKAKU.

YOU
DIDN'T
DO YOUR
ASSIGN-
MENTS
AT ALL,
DID
YOU?

YOU
THINK
YOU CAN
REALLY
GRADUATE
LIKE THAT?

It's
"Kaiba-
sensei,"
right?

KAI-
BA...

I WAS
ABOUT
TO--

IDIOTS
NEED
MORE
HOME-
WORK,
EH?

Must
be
too
hard.

I don't
under-
stand
the
prob-
lem...

HRMM...

Home-
work
without
a due
date.

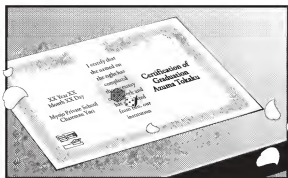
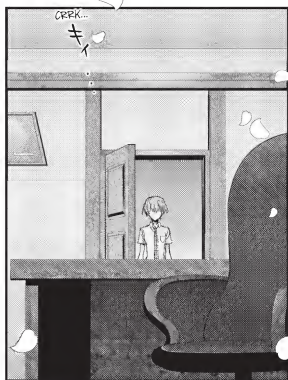
Don't
give up
until you
figure
out the
answer,
okay?

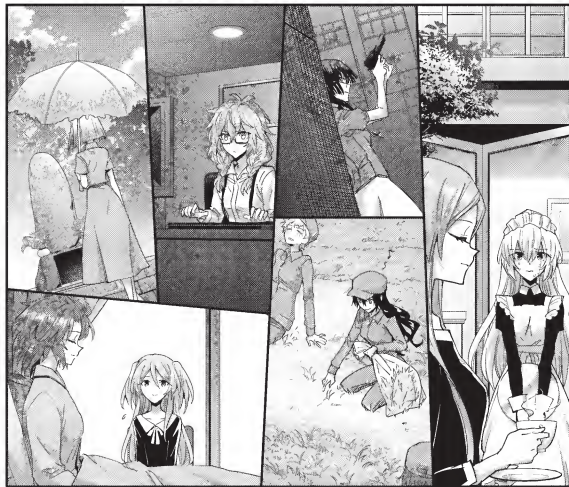
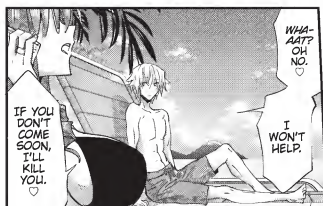
KA-
CHAK...

WHAT
YOU
NEED
TO DO
TO GET
YOUR
HANDS
ON IT.

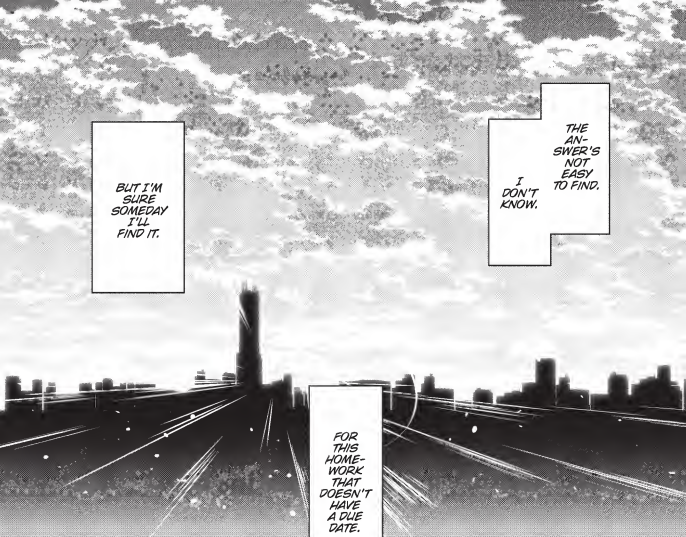
TAKE
THE
REST
OF YOUR
LIFE TO
FIGURE
OUT...

WHAT IT
IS THAT
YOU
REALLY
WANT.







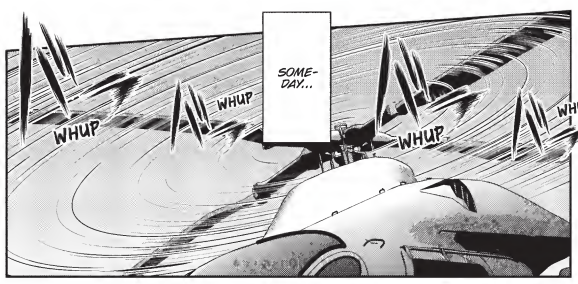


BUT I'M
SURE
SOMEDAY
I'LL
FIND IT.

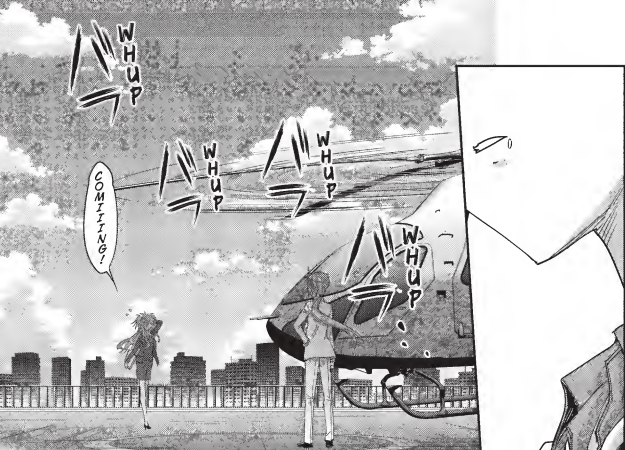
THE
AN-
SWER'S
NOT
EASY
TO FIND.

I
DON'T
KNOW.

FOR
THIS
HOME-
WORK
THAT
DOESN'T
HAVE
A DUE
DATE.



SOME-
DAY...



TOKAKU,
A PIECE
OF
RICE.

YOUR
NECK-
TIE'S
CROOK-
ED.

HARU,
IT'S
TIME.



I DO IT
BECAUSE
WE'RE
NOT KIDS
ANYMORE.



IT'S
CURRY
AGAIN!

STOP
IT!
WE'RE
NOT
KIDS
ANY-
MORE!



YOU'LL
BE LATE
TO THE
MEETING!



SHALL
WE?

NOW.

TOKAKU
...

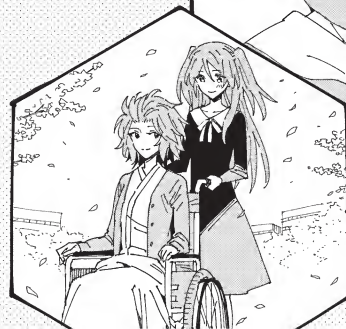
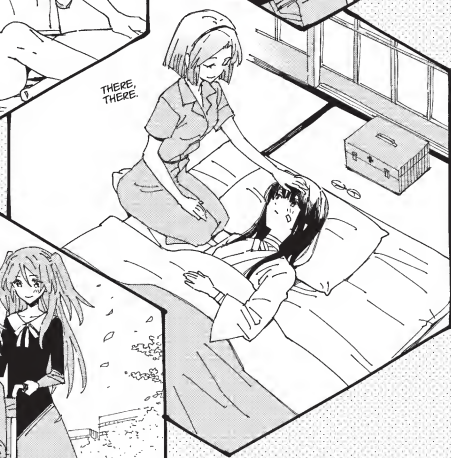
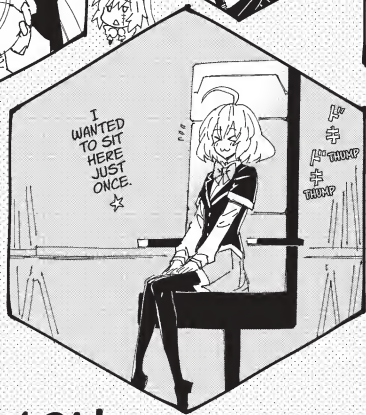
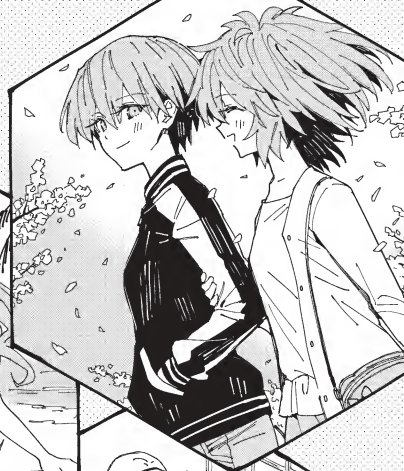
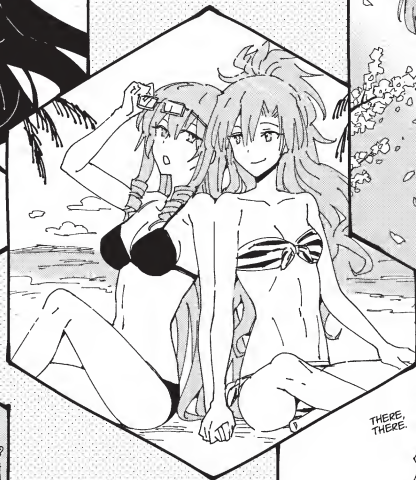
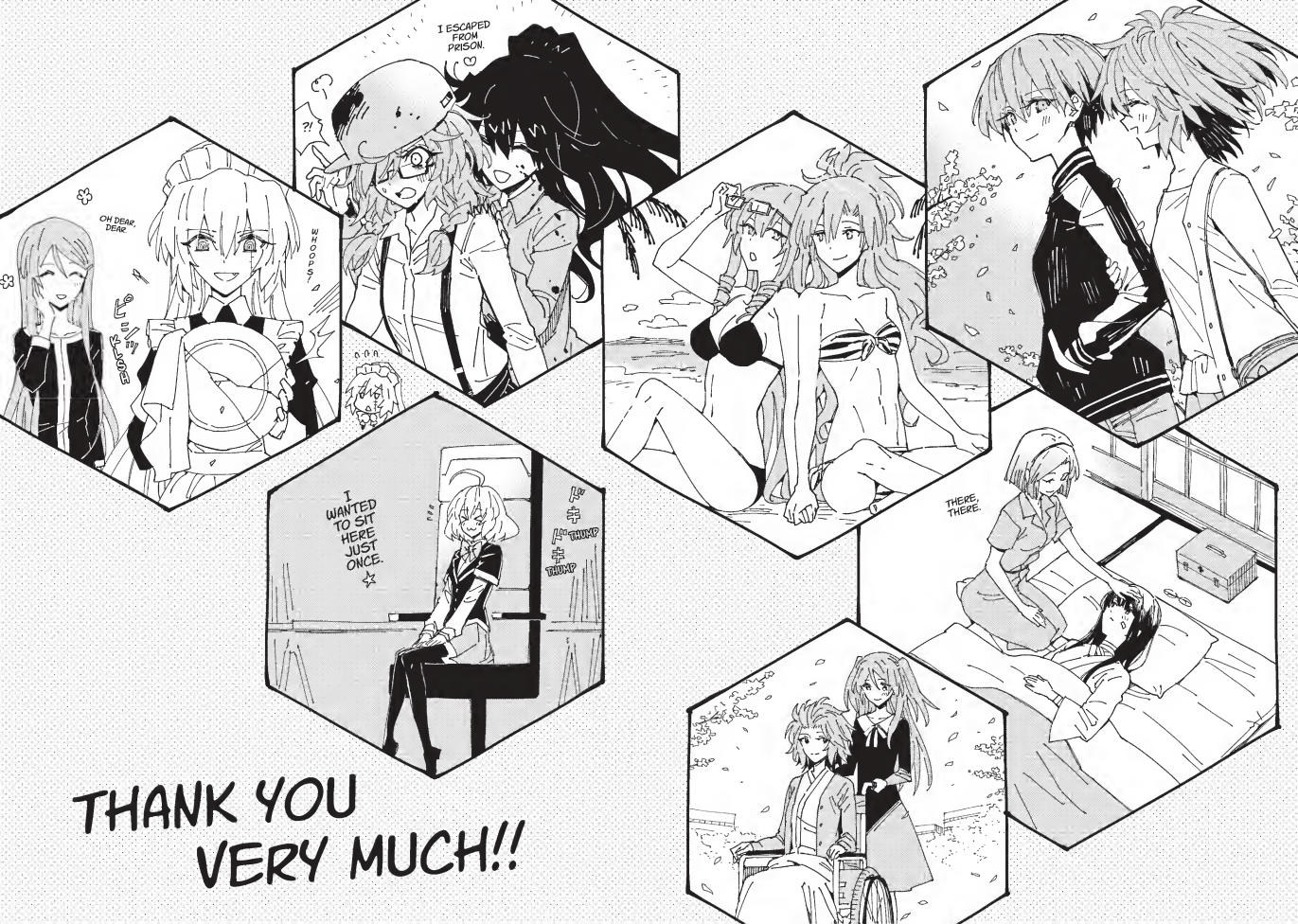
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*I WILL
PROTECT
YOU
FOREVER.*





THANK YOU
VERY MUCH!!



END

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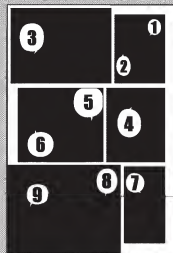
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